



State of Wisconsin
Department of Health Services

Scott Walker, Governor
Kitty Rhoades, Secretary

January 9, 2014

Ms. Marilyn Tavenner
Administrator
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
7500 Security Boulevard
Baltimore, MD 21244

Dear Administrator Tavenner:

Thank you for your December 30, 2013 letter informing Medicaid Director Brett Davis of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' approval of Wisconsin's request for a new section 1115 demonstration, entitled "BadgerCare Reform" (Project No. 11-W-00293/5), in accordance with section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act. I am writing to officially acknowledge the award and accept both sets of Standards, Terms and Conditions (STCs) referenced in the letter.

The agreement we have reached is historic. Governor Scott Walker's entitlement reforms make certain that all residents of our state have access to affordable health insurance options for the first time in Wisconsin history. In addition, the comprehensive benefits being offered ensure that all Wisconsin adults living in poverty can receive the health care services they need to improve their overall well-being.

I appreciate the hard work that you and your team put into helping us achieve this important accomplishment. Working together, we are improving the lives of thousands of Wisconsin residents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Kitty Rhoades".

Kitty Rhoades
Secretary